

Amendments to the Abstract

Please amend the Abstract as follows:

C1 An article (e.g., a sanitary napkin, incontinence pad or similar personal care product) that is to be worn with an undergarment having an attachment system that includes: a pair of wings including selectively releasable, interengaging fasteners such that the wings are adapted to hold the article to an undergarment; and a fastener component including a plurality of engagement members so it is adapted to engage the fabric of an undergarment. Desirably, the attachment system includes: ~~a first wing extending from the first longitudinal edge of the sanitary napkin and a second wing extending from the second longitudinal edge of the article, each wing having a fixed end and a free end; a first fastener component comprising at least a portion of the first wing and the second wing, the first fastener component including an engagement section having a plurality of engagement members; and a cooperating fastener component comprising at least a portion of the first wing and the second wing such that the first and second wings of the article are capable of being joined by movement of the respective components together generally along an attachment direction into an overlapping and interengaging configuration.~~

Amendments to the Specification

PAR 3/25/03 Please amend the specification as follows: ~~a for the title, replace the paragraph with:~~ ^{This application}

C1 Pursuant to 35 U.S.C. §120 and/or 35 U.S.C. 119(e), Applicants hereby claim priority from presently co-pending the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/313,604 entitled "MECHANICAL FASTENING SYSTEM HAVING ORTHOGONALLY ORIENTED ENGAGEMENT MEMBERS" and filed on August 20, 2001, in the names of Jason R. Cole, Denise R. Couture, Yvette L. Hammonds, Valerie R. Kurbec, Allan J. Krueger, Jason J. Manders, Shelley R. Rasmussen, David C. Strandberg, William G. Stratton, Manuel A. Torres, Jennifer A. Trottier, and Robert J. Waldron (Docket No. 16,508).

Amend the paragraph beginning at page 1, line 29 as follows:

Generally speaking, the attachment system includes:

C2 a first wing extending from the first longitudinal edge of the sanitary napkin and a second wing extending from the second longitudinal edge of the article, each wing having a fixed end and a free end;